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## NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

*Filing Date Granted*

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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Applicant : John M. Amaral et al.                      Art Unit : Unknown  
Serial No. : 09/814,453                                      Examiner : Unknown  
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Title : TRANSMITTING MPEG DATA PACKETS RECEIVED FROM A NON-  
CONSTANT DELAY NETWORK

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TRANSMITTAL OF FORMAL DRAWINGS

In response to the Notice To File Corrected Application Papers (copy enclosed) mailed April 30, 2001, Applicants enclose five (5) sheets of formal drawings to be substituted for the corresponding drawings presently in the application. Also, enclosed is a One-Month Petition for Extension of Time and a check for the fee to extend the period for the response to July 30, 2001. Please apply any charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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